

National Community Development Association 2022 Region IV Conference

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SAFETY PROTOCOLS

The 2022 Region IV Conference ("Event") will abide by the COVID-19 protocols in effect in Augusta, Georgia and at the Event location during the time of the Event.

On Tuesday, March 8, 2022, the Augusta, Georgia Commission lifted the mask requirement for government buildings in Augusta, Georgia. Individuals, regardless of vaccination status, have the option to continue wearing masks or to not wear masks. Additional information regarding the State of Georgia guidelines can be found here.

Please note that protocols may change and the National Community Development Association (NCDA) will provide registrants with any relevant updates as they become available.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

In consideration of the opportunity to attend the Event hosted by NCDA, you hereby **FOREVER RELEASE**, **WAIVE**, **AND HOLD HARMLESS NCDA** from any and all liability, injury, damage, loss, or expense that may arise, directly or indirectly, now or in the future, regardless of whether caused by fault or negligence on the part of NCDA, in connection with your attendance at the Event.

You recognize that COVID-19 has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization and that an inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 and other infectious illnesses exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is a contagious disease that can be transmitted asymptomatically and can lead to severe illness and death. You recognize that it is not possible to prevent against the presence of COVID-19 and that NCDA cannot prevent you from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while attending the Event. By attending or otherwise participating in the Event, YOU VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ALL KNOWN AND UNKNOWN RISKS RELATED TO EXPOSURE TO COVID-19. You acknowledge and understand that you should attend and participate in the Event only if you are medically able, feel well, and are not experiencing any symptoms of COVID-19.

YOU PROMISE NOT TO SUE NCDA for any of the claims that you have released, waived, and discharged herein. You hereby assume all risk of personal injury, damage, and expense related to your attendance at, and travel to and from, the Event. You understand these terms and conditions are intended to be as

broad and inclusive as is permitted by law and, if any portion of these terms and conditions, is held invalid, the remainder will continue in full legal force and effect. These terms and conditions shall extend to and be binding upon you and your estate, heirs, executors, administrators, and personal representatives.

By registering for and participating in this Event, you signify that you have read this TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION, that you fully understand it and all of its provisions, and that you agree to be bound legally by it and all of its provision.